

# AUGUST

## LIBRARY NOTES

### FLOYD MEMORIAL LIBRARY

539 First Street  
Greenport, New York  
Phone (631) 477-0660  
Fax (631) 477-2647

#### HOURS

Monday - Friday:

9:30 am - 8 pm

Saturday:

9:30 am - 5pm

Sundays:

1 pm - 5 pm



We're on the Web!

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## SPECIAL EVENTS

### THE GREAT BOOK GIVEAWAY

Come down and grab some of your favorite titles from our library to yours. Our sidewalk giveaway will consist of both lightly-worn donations, duplicate copy donations and books recently removed from our collection.

Books for all ages! Look for tables full of Children's, Teen and both Adult Fiction and Non-Fiction.

**Friday, August 6th from 10 am—6 pm**

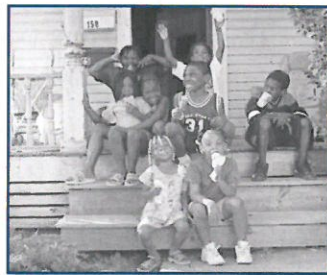
#### FLOYD MEMORIAL LIBRARY

is pleased to present its first

#### POST-LOCKDOWN ART EXHIBITION

### All Together Now

August 27<sup>th</sup> – October 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021



Linda K. Alpern, *Tiffany and Greenport Friends*, 2004  
(Image courtesy of the artist)

A group show celebrating the people and places of our local community, featuring works by:

Linda K. Alpern | Kaitlin Beebe  
Dennis Chalkin | Kelly Franké  
Chris Hamilton | Verona Peñalba  
Macall Polay | Cindy Pease Roe  
Arden Scott

Other artists to be announced

~ Opening reception ~

Friday, August 27<sup>th</sup> ~ 6-9 pm

## NOTES FROM THE DIRECTOR

Dear Friends,

August is coming in full swing, and we have so much for you to enjoy this month with us!! Please support your community library by coming to programs, classes, events, etc.

We have game nights, movie nights, book clubs, live music, creative crafting, wellness programs, tech help, and so much more!

Our Friends group is revitalized and putting together wonderful things for the community and beyond to enjoy. Prepare for an upcoming Friends jewelry sale, and our new Arts Exhibit Curator, Sally Grant is getting ready to launch our first post-COVID art show!

We can't wait to enjoy this month with all of you! Remember, libraries are for everyone!

Come visit, call us, message us on Facebook, or send us an email. We are here to serve you, and we take that mission seriously.

# AUGUST ADULT PROGRAMS

## VIRTUAL PROGRAMS

EAST END LIBRARIES PRESENT: **BREATHE TOGETHER** – Tuesdays at 10 am (virtual via Zoom). **SENIORS CONNECT** – Wednesdays at 11 am (virtual via Zoom) Contact Sherri (631-469-0183) or Erin (631-379-3631)

**MEDICARE NAVIGATOR** – Scheduled via Phone Appointment Need help Setting up Medicare or have questions about your plan? Email: [joinprogram@floydmemoriallibrary.org](mailto:joinprogram@floydmemoriallibrary.org) to set up an appointment.

## HYBRID CLASSES (*available online and in-person*)

**BOOK DISCUSSION** – *The Nickel Boys* (2006) by Colson Whitehead

*In person* at Peconic Landing - Monday, August 30th, 2021 at 4 pm

*In the Community Room at the Library* — or— *via Zoom* – Monday, August 30<sup>th</sup> at 5:15 pm

**BRUNCH POEMS WITH VIVIAN EYRE** – Friday, August 27<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 am (virtual, via Zoom) — featuring *OBIT* by Victoria Chang. No registration needed to physically attend; please email [joinprogram@floydmemoriallibrary.org](mailto:joinprogram@floydmemoriallibrary.org)



**SUMMER READING CHALLENGE ~ SIGN UP NOW! ~**

Stop by the Adult Reference Desk to sign up, grab your folder and start reading.

*Prizes drawn weekly!*

## GAME DAYS ARE BACK AT FLOYD MEMORIAL LIBRARY !!

**CHESS** – Tuesdays from 4-6pm

**SCRABBLE** – Wednesdays from 1-3pm

**MAH-JONGG** – Thursdays from 1-3pm

*No registration necessary!*

## USING THE LIBBY APP

Tuesday, August 3rd from 6:30—7:30 pm

Come sit down with our new Head of Reference & Adult Services, Matthew Still, and start to learn how to download and utilize eBooks & eAudiobooks through the Libby App. This class will cover downloading Libby for your mobile device, selecting your home library and setting up your account, searching the Libby catalog and taking out and returning digital materials.

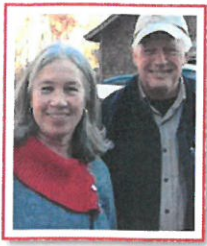
To register: stop by the main desk, give us a call or email: [joinprogram@floydmemoriallibrary.org](mailto:joinprogram@floydmemoriallibrary.org)

## The Art of Henna — Presented by Henna Graphics

Wednesday, August 4th from 6:00—7:45 pm

Come join Eakta Gandhi to explore the ancient art of henna. Eakta will apply a small hand design to interested participants using henna made from natural products, free of permanent dyes and harmful chemicals.

To register: stop by the main desk; give us a call, or email: [joinprogram@floydmemoriallibrary.org](mailto:joinprogram@floydmemoriallibrary.org)



Floyd Memorial Library's Sunday Concert Series presents:  
**TOM & LISA MUSIC**

Sunday, August 8<sup>th</sup> from 3pm – 4:30pm

Open to everyone; no registration required. All concerts will also be livestreamed via [Facebook Live](#) for those of you who cannot make it out to the show.

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**YOGA WITH EILEEN** — Tuesdays — August 3, 10 & 17th from 10-11 am

Join our new yogini, Eileen, on a path to opening your body and mind.

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**OPEN MIC NIGHT**

Friday, August 13<sup>th</sup> from 6:30-7:30pm

**MUSIC - COMEDY - POETRY - All genres & styles welcome!**

Calling all artists! Come down to the library for Open Mic Night and show off your skills, or just come down and relax in our Community Room and enjoy some great entertainment and adult beverages.

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**MYSTERY BOOK DISCUSSION**

The *"Callie Anson Series"* by *Kate Charles*

**Wednesday, August 18th at 3 pm in the Library Garden**

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**AUTHOR TALK: Palmer Smith**

**Sunday, August 15th at 3 pm in the Library Garden**

Please join us under the tent in our backyard as we host acclaimed poet, Palmer Smith. Books will be available for purchase at the event and refreshments will be served. No registration required!

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**Information Literacy for the Young and New Adult**

**Tuesday, August 17<sup>th</sup> from 6:30-7:30pm**

Learn the best methods for searching library catalogs, different methods for effectively searching databases and best practices for evaluating Internet sources. To register: stop by the main desk, give us a call or email: [joinprgram@floydmemoriallibrary.org](mailto:joinprgram@floydmemoriallibrary.org)

*Open to all high school/college students! Will be followed by a brief Q & A afterwards.*

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Floyd Memorial Library's Sunday Concert Series presents

**THE SECOND HANDS**

Sunday, August 22<sup>nd</sup> from 3pm – 4:30pm

The Second Hands is a folk duo comprised of Geoff Schroeder and Laura Hoch. Open to everyone; no registration required. All concerts will also be livestreamed



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**SEED COLLECTING**

**Wednesday, August 25<sup>th</sup> from 3pm-4pm**

End-of-summer into fall is a great time of year to head out in your garden to collect seeds. Seed collecting gives you a head start for next year's garden design and implementation. Join Group for the East End as we focus on native plant species with high wildlife value as well as being beautiful additions to any garden.

Please feel free to bring seeds in so we can share and exchange as part of the program.

To register: stop by the main desk, give us a call, or email: [joinprogram@floydmemoriallibrary.org](mailto:joinprogram@floydmemoriallibrary.org)



## PAINT NIGHT

Friday, August 27<sup>th</sup> from 6:30pm – 8:30pm

Greenport Resident Artist, Verona Penalba, will join us for a step-by-step class on how to paint a seahorse!

Check out Verona's website : <https://www.veronapenalba.com/>

## AUTHOR TALK: Fran Castan

Sunday, August 29<sup>th</sup> at 3pm

Please join us under the tent in our backyard as we host award-winning poet, Fran Castan. Books will be available for purchase at the event and refreshments will be served. No registration required!

## TAILS & TALES" SUMMER FILM FEST – Thursdays at 5:30pm

August 5th - KEANU (Rated R)

Directed by Peter Atencio

August 12th — SECRETARIAT (PG)

Directed by Randall Wallace

August 19th — LIFE OF PI (PG)

Directed by Ang Lee

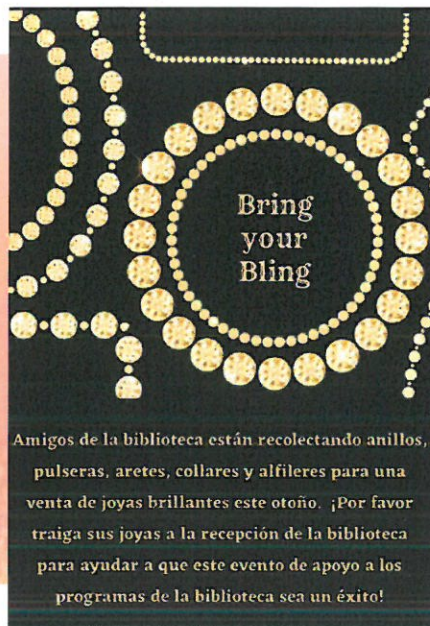
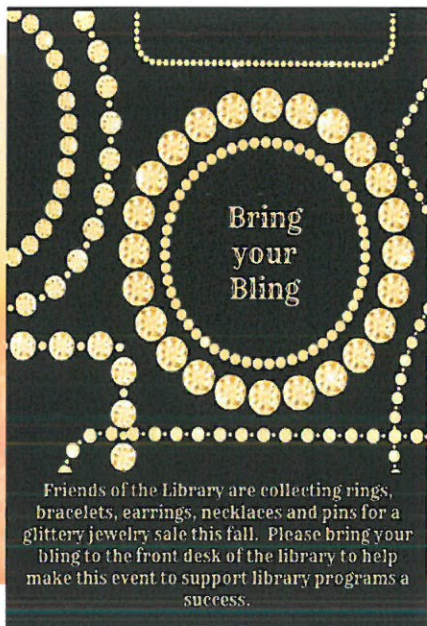
August 26th — WE BOUGHT A ZOO (PG)

Directed by Cameron Crowe

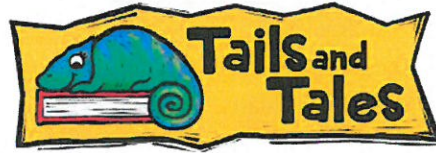
## Meditation Circle

Wednesdays, August 4<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup> at 10-10:40am

Join us every Wednesday morning in July and start your #WellnessWednesday off right with some meditation. Register in person, by phone, or by email: [joinprogram@floydmemoriallibrary.org](mailto:joinprogram@floydmemoriallibrary.org).



# AUGUST CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS



## Summer Reading

July 6th – August 26th

*Sign up any time during the summer!*

[joinprogram@floydmemoriallibrary.org](mailto:joinprogram@floydmemoriallibrary.org)

Come tell Miss Vicky about the book you have read (or 50 pages of a bigger book) and then play Battleship.

If you get a hit, you will receive a \$5.00 gift certificate to 7-Eleven.

If you sink the ship, you may choose between six tickets to the Long Island Game Farm or the Riverhead Aquarium.

**You must register for all programs by emailing [joinprogram@floydmemoriallibrary.org](mailto:joinprogram@floydmemoriallibrary.org)**

**August 2 Happy Birds 6 pm Zoom** Enjoy this 30-minute show of seven parrots performing 25 tricks! There will also be a time for questions and answers.

**August 3 Quogue Wildlife in person 11 am** Come see a variety of snakes, turtles, and tortoises and learn all about various reptiles and their lifestyles. Students will learn about human impacts on several species, and how they can help some of our local species. This program is for all ages.

**August 4, 11, 18, 25 Yoga in person 9:30 am** Be ready for some stretching, strengthening, and yoga style games to increase your child's concentration, flexibility, strength, and coordination. Each class is 40 minutes long.

**August 4, 11, 18, 25 Toddler Time in person 10:30 am** For ages 0-3. Join Miss Vicky and old and new friends for this special time. Play with toys, read some books, and sing some songs.

**August 5 Splatter Art in person 4:00 pm** Turn a printed silhouette of a cat, fox, French bulldog, or a bear into a work of art that can hang in your bedroom!

**August 6 BenAnna in person 3:00 pm** Join us for a musical trip that leads us to discovering our own self-confidence! You can check out this fun band at <https://www.beannaband.com/>

**August 6, 13, 20 Story time in person 4:30 pm** Special activities at each one! August 6 is our library-wide book give away. August 13, local author Nancy DeGraw McSwane reads us her book *The Tower and The Flower*. We end our summer story times with a very special treat on August 20. Local author Jan Rose will read her book *Augustus and Me*. When we are done reading the story you can take a picture with Augustus and get a free copy of the book!

**August 9 Glowing Seahorse** pre recorded video up for 1 month. Kit provided. Must register for the kit, which includes a black light.

**August 9 Your Genetic Traits with Long Island Science Center Zoom 4:30 pm** Jump into genetics with a fascinating examination of common traits. Students take data, make comparisons, and discover how individuals are unique and similar at the same time. Experiments with tongue rolling, taste testing, and other genetic traits explored.

**August 10 Peggy Dickerson, local author, in person 10 am** Peggy Dickerson, author of the children's book *Moonglow*, presents a fun learning program about our local amphibians. She will read her book and involve children in pantomiming the unique life cycles of frogs and salamanders. She will share her knowledge of amphibians and have a fun craft for the children to take home.

**August 11 and 19 Art on the Bay in person 10 am** meet at Preston's Dock Meet at Preston's dock to enjoy a ride on the electric boat *Glory* and record what you see through your own drawings. You may even get to drive the boat! Materials provided.

**August 12 Pout Pout Fish in person 10 am** Has the pandemic got you down. Do you have a pout on your face because there is nothing fun to do. Join Ms. Siracusano for a story called "The Pout Pout Fish" by Deborah Diesen. Then you will learn how to make your own clay Pout Pout Fish to take home. Paint will be provided after class for you to take home. To color your Pout Pout fish when the clay is dry. This project is sure to put a smile on your face.

**August 12 Cool Animals of Long Island Sound in person 4:00 pm.** Learn about the amazing animals of Long Island Sound. Children will see and touch a whale rib and baleen and learn about how large lobsters can get. See a claw from a 25-pound lobster. Find out which seal can hold its' breath the longest and what is the largest sea turtle found in our local waters. Learn other cool fun facts, so do not miss this opportunity to learn about our local marine life. Program conducted by a Cornell Marine Program educator.

**August 14 Woodworking in person 4:00 pm** Join us to make a woodworking surprise! Please bring a claw hammer if you have one.

**August 16 Ya Yoi Kusara Goldfish Zoom 10 am** Kids, tweens and teens will enjoy creating this colorful drawing featuring a beautiful goldfish, inspired by the Japanese artist, Yayoi You must register for the kit.

**August 16 Anja Dance Company South Asian Bhangra Dance Class Zoom 4:30 pm** Ajna is a New York City based dance company whose mission is to share artistic and authentic Indian dance with a global and diverse audience. The company specializes in both contemporary and classical Indian dance forms. Their arts education programs bring Indian dance and culture to students in a fun, educational and accessible way that help to celebrate diversity. Ajna also teaches weekly dance classes for adults and children virtually and in person. For more information please visit [www.ajnadance.com](http://www.ajnadance.com)

**August 17 Unicorn Painting Zoom** Young children as well as elementary aged children will delight in creating a painting on canvas that features a flying unicorn! You must register for the kit.

**August 24 South Fork Natural History Museum Reptiles and Amphibians in person 4:00 pm** Meet some of our local reptile and amphibian neighbors like the Eastern Box Turtle, Diamondback Terrapin, Milk Snake, Spotted Salamander and Gray Tree Frog. Learn about their unique habitats, what they need to do to find food and how they avoid being eaten. Find out how these animals are adapted to their environment and what habitat issues are critical to their future survival.

**August 25 Brady Rymer in person at Mitchell Park 6 pm** Come join the fun as Brady Rymer returns to us for a live show!

**August 26 last day to report on books**

**August 27-September 3 Miss Vicky on Vacation**

# AUGUST 2021 TEEN PROGRAMS 13 & Up

## Indoor & Zoom Programs

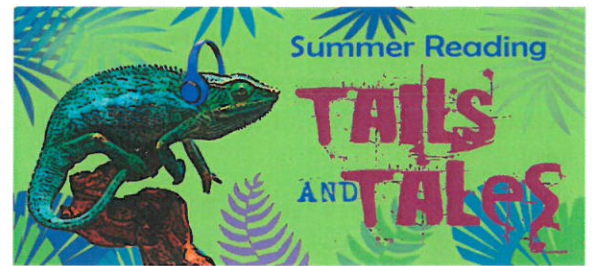
**Tails & Tales ~ Ends Friday, August 20<sup>th</sup>**

**Teen Summer Reading ~ Every Book Tells a Tale!**

### How to participate:

~Read books and attend programs throughout the summer to earn raffle tickets ~ enter tickets into prizes you hope to win.

~Prize winners will be drawn and called **Friday, August 20<sup>th</sup>**.



### INDOOR PROGRAMS:

Limited Space ~ Register by emailing [tracey@floydmemoriallibrary.org](mailto:tracey@floydmemoriallibrary.org)

**August 10<sup>th</sup> at 1pm & August 12<sup>th</sup> at 6pm Books & Cookies** Come have milk and cookies and share your opinion while we discuss all sorts of random book topics. This program might not be suitable for those with food allergies



**August 9<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup> at 2pm Teen Movie** A variety of movies will be set out- Teen Choice will be shown, so grab a friend, come vote and munch on popcorn!

**August 17<sup>th</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup>, & 31<sup>st</sup> 6-7:30pm Drop In Brainfuse** Your Teen Librarian will be available to issue library cards, or help fix library card issues and give you a tutorial on how to use Brainfuse for FREE homework help, test prep, scholarship essay assistance and sooo much more!!



**August 20<sup>th</sup> at 6pm Universal Yums** Each month we explore a new country through food tasting, trivia and music! This program might not be suitable for those with food allergies – but ingredients and nutritional values for all foods will be available.

**August 23<sup>rd</sup> – August 27<sup>th</sup> Drop in Craft ~ Mini Magnets** Create some fun magnets with pictures, drawings, or just solid colors to decorate your lockers and home refrigerator. Supplies will be set out daily each afternoon this week in the Teen Area.

**August 28<sup>th</sup> at 3pm Henna** The talented & lovely Mrs. Eakta Gandhi will be here to teach teens about the history of Henna Art and give attendees a design to proudly wear till it naturally wears off. This is a MUST-Do program — the results are beautiful!

## ZOOM PROGRAMS



Email [tracey@floydmemoriallibrary.org](mailto:tracey@floydmemoriallibrary.org) for the Zoom link. Write the program name in the subject line.

**August 2<sup>nd</sup> at 2pm Happy Birds** These birds are talented! They play basketball, ride bikes, scooters and skateboards, they do animal impersonations and talk and sing. You won't want to miss this family friendly show!  
Email [joinprogram@floydmemoriallibrary.org](mailto:joinprogram@floydmemoriallibrary.org) to register.

**August 9<sup>th</sup> Glowing Seahorse** Create a painting of a seahorse anchored onto seaweed which will glow when exposed to the black light. Must email and register for the kit, which includes a black light. This is a prerecorded video link that is good for 1 month.

**August 11<sup>th</sup> at 3pm Serpents, Dragons & Turtles** The Sweetbriar Nature Center will be sharing some of the most understood reptiles; crocodiles, alligators, and snakes! Sign up to learn about the amazing world of reptiles and their fascinating adaptations for survival. They will share a python, a snapping turtle, a bearded dragon, a box turtle, and more!

**August 16<sup>th</sup> Kusama Goldfish Drawing** Sign up to receive your kit so you can create a colorful drawing featuring a beautiful goldfish, inspired by the Japanese artist, Yayoi. This is a prerecorded video link that is good for the day.

**August 17<sup>th</sup> Unicorn Painting** Paint, canvas and flying unicorns- creative fun! Sign up to reserve your kit. This is a prerecorded video link that is good for the day.

**August 18<sup>th</sup> at 2:30pm Meet the Animals** The Quogue Wildlife Refuge will give participants an up-close meet and greet of a variety of critters! Meet snakes, turtles, mammals, birds of prey, and some creepy crawlies ~ all from the safety of the computer screen. Sign up for the link!

## COMMUNITY SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

**August 25<sup>th</sup> at 3pm Staying Safe** via Zoom This program provides necessary tools to understand, recognize, and prevent sexual assault, harassment, dating violence, and stalking. Participants will learn warning signs and risk factors related to these issues and gain a greater understanding of the kinds of environments that can perpetuate and facilitate them. Presented by Crime Victims Center/Parents for Megan's Law. Recommended for Grades 9th-12th. Email [tracey@floydmemoriallibrary.org](mailto:tracey@floydmemoriallibrary.org) to sign up. 2 hours of community service for attending.

**August 26<sup>th</sup> at 6pm Tell Me What You Want -in person** Your library wants your input so grab a friend and join us for some snacks and refreshments! Share your ideas for programs, books, video games, movies and more. There's no guarantee your ideas will turn to fruition but you will be heard. Email [tracey@floydmemoriallibrary.org](mailto:tracey@floydmemoriallibrary.org) to sign up. 2 hours of community service for attending.

**Book Review** Check out a NEW teen book, read it and fill out the book review sheet (located on the Teen Reference Desk) to receive 4 hours of community service.

**Kanopy Movie Review** Watch a movie on Kanopy and write a review to receive 4 hours of community service. Kanopy is a resource available on the library website, which you can access with your library card barcode. Movie review sheets are located on the Teen Reference Desk, along with Kanopy access directions.

## TAKE & MAKE KITS

Find these kits on the Take & Make shelf in the teen room & help yourself ~ while supplies last.

Email [tracey@floydmemoriallibrary.org](mailto:tracey@floydmemoriallibrary.org) to reserve your kit for curbside pickup.

**Craft Box** Pick up this kit and add some personal flair to your home space! Kit includes an adorable little wooden box and a packet of mini sharpie markers. Get creative!!

**Journals** Doodle, write, rant/rave, make notes/lists or log your day! Pick up your cute little journal and pencil.